



AS APPROVED 5/09/2011

**CITY OF SCOTTSDALE
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING**

SUMMARIZED MINUTES

**5:00 p.m. Monday, April 11, 2011
Human Resources Pinnacle Training Room
7575 E. Main Street
Scottsdale, Arizona**

Present: Jeff Jameson - Chair
Linda Simmons – Vice Chair
James Campbell
Bob Fox
Susan Galpin
Joel Martin

Absent: Ed Lopez

Staff: Linda Walton, Staff Liaison
Susanne Quinet, Staff Coordinator

Guests: Carolina Butler
Florita Campbell
Kuros Lamé

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jameson called the meeting to order at approximately 5:04pm

1. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of meeting minutes from March 14, 2011.

APPROVED 6-0: Commissioner Simmons moved to approve the minutes of March 14, 2011 meeting.
Seconded by Commissioner Campbell.

Chair Jameson welcomed Dr. James Campbell, a newly appointed commissioner to the Human Relations Commission.

**2. DISCUSSION ON STRATEGY TO ADDRESSING DIVERSITY IN OUR COMMUNITY
MORE EFFECTIVELY**

The Commission talked about their role and the impact of what they do on the community. They will



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continue their discussion on SB1070, and the preparation of recommendations to the Council and the Mayor in the future meetings.

3. COMMISSION BROCHURE/OUTREACH STRATEGY

Linda Walton reported that the Diversity draft brochure has been submitted to the City's Communication Department, and that the final draft should be ready for review at the next meeting.

CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION SERIES

Linda Walton provided the Commission with an update on the last event of the series, which ended April 6th, 2011. The Commission appointed Commissioners Campbell, Martin and Simmons to participate in the upcoming 2011/2012 Cross Cultural Communication Series planning meetings.

4. CHAIRMAN REPORTS

Chair Jameson shared highlights of his meeting with David Ellison, as well as his recent humanitarian trip.

5. COMMISSIONER ITEMS

Commissioner Galpin attended both the Turquoise & Silver Ball Dinner and the Asian Chamber of Commerce Dinner.

Commissioner Martin attended the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Dinner, and an art exhibit hosted by the valley's Sister Cities.

Commissioner Fox will continue his research for articles related to SB1070.

Commissioner Simmons shared her focus on Training & Rehabilitation for Adults with Disability, and that the group's Annual Charity Fiesta is on May 7th.

OPEN CALL TO THE PUBLIC (A.R.S. § 38-431.02):

None

6. STAFF LIAISON ITEMS

Linda Walton reported that she was asked to serve on the Boards and Commission ad hoc Committee of Staff People, as well as the Scottsdale Community College Inclusiveness Council. Ms. Walton made the following announcements:

- a) The Immigration Community Forum on May 3rd.
- b) The Boards and Commissions Appreciation BBQ on April 27th.

7. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to conduct, the meeting adjourned at approximately 6:55pm.

